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Practitioner's Docket No. 2667/110

CHAPTER II

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Proposed Class:  
Subclass:

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(ENTRY INTO U.S. NATIONAL PHASE UNDER CHAPTER II)

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International Application No.	International Filing Date	Priority Date Claimed

Polysialic Acid Derivatives  
Title of Invention

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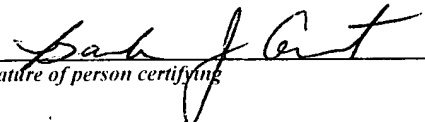
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1. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Elected Office (EO/US) the following items under 35 U.S.C. § 371:
  - a. This express request to immediately begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. § 371(f)).
  - b. The U.S. Basic National Fee (35 U.S.C. § 371(a)) and other fees (37 C.F.R. § 1.492) as indicated below:

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## 2. Fees

<b>NATIONAL STAGE FEES*</b>	Basic filing fee * \$300.00 Examination fee \$200.00 Search fee \$500.00				\$
<b>CLAIMS FEE*</b>	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	\$
	<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b>	28 - 20 =	8	x \$ 50.00 =	\$400.00
	<b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b>	3 - 3 =	0	x \$ 0.00 =	\$0.00
	<b>MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)</b> (if applicable)			+ \$ 360.00	\$0.00
	Basic filing fee* \$300.00				\$300.00
	Examination fee				\$200.00
	All other situations \$200.00				
	Search fee \$500.00				
	All other situations \$500.00				\$500.00
<b>ADDITIONAL PAGES</b>	Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250.00 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof"				
	Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (rounded up to a whole number)	250.00	\$0.00
	--Total of above Calculations				= \$1,400.00
<b>SMALL ENTITY</b>	Applicant hereby claims small entity status. 37 C.F.R. 1.27. The above fees are reduced by 1/2				\$0.00
	Subtotal				\$1,400.00
	Total National Fee				\$1,400.00
	Fee for recording the enclosed assignment document \$40.00 (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h)). See Item 13 below). See attached "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET".				\$0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	Total Fees enclosed				\$1,400.00

See attached Preliminary Amendment Reducing the Number of Claims.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$1,400.00.

Please charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit  
Account 19-4972.

A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

3. A copy of the International application as filed (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) has been transmitted by the International Bureau.

Date of mailing of the application (from form PCT/IB/308): 15 December 2005

4. A translation of the International application into the English language (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) is not required as the application was filed in English.
5. Amendments to the claims of the International application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) have been transmitted by the International Bureau.

Date of mailing of the amendment (from form PCT/IB/308): 15 December 2005

6. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (38 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) is not required as the amendments were made in the English language.
7. A copy of the international examination report (PCT/IPEA/409) Transmitted herewith
8. A translation of the annexes to the international preliminary examination report is not required as the annexes are in the English language.
9. An oath or declaration of the inventor (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(4)) complying with 35 U.S.C. § 115 will follow.

**II. Other document(s) or information included:**

10. An International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210) or Declaration under PCT Article 17(2)(a) is transmitted herewith.
11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 will be transmitted within THREE MONTHS of the date of submission of requirements under 35 U.S.C. § 371(c).
12. Additional documents:
- a. Copy of request (PCT/RO/101)
  - b. International Publication No. 2005/16973
    - i. Specification, claims and drawing
  - c. Preliminary amendment (37 C.F.R. § 1.121)
  - d. PCT/IB/304; PCT/IB/308 (first and second notices); PCT/IB/332
13. The above items are being transmitted before 30 months from any claimed priority date.

**AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES**

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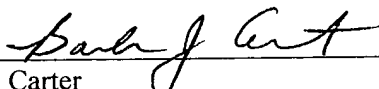
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37 C.F.R. § 1.16 (h), (i), (j) (presentation of extra claims)

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